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BRITISH AVIATORS ATTACK GERMAN NAVAL BASE

Light Cruisers, Destroyers
and Submarines Join in
Effort to Draw German
Navy From Its Hiding
Place.

Assisted by light cruisers, destroyers and submarines, seven British naval aviators, piloting seaplanes, made a daring attack Christmas day on the German naval base at Osthaven, on the south of the Elbe. Six of the airmen returned safely, but the seventh, Commander Hewlett, is feared, has been lost, as his machine was found off Heligoland, wrecked.

What damage was done by the bombs thrown by the attacking party could not be ascertained, but the German report of the affair says that the raid was fruitless.

The intention of the British navy in this attempting to "dig out" the German fleet brought about a battle between the most modern war machines. The British squadron, including the light cruisers Arethusa and Undine, which have been engaged in previous exploits on the German coast, was attacked by Zeppelins, seaplanes and submarines.

By rapid manoeuvring the ships were able to avoid the submarines, while the Zeppelins found the fire of the cruisers too hot to remain close to keep up the fight. The German seaplanes dropped bombs, which, according to the British account, fell harmlessly into the sea. The German, however, claim to have hit two destroyers and their convoy, the latter being set afire.

The British ships remained in the vicinity for three hours without being attacked by further "aerials," and picked up three of the seven pilots and the planes. Three others were picked up by submarines, and their machines were recovered. Commander Hewlett, it is thought, was drowned.

Masons Hold Big Meeting in the Hat

About twenty-five members of the local Masonic lodge drove down to Melville Hat last Monday evening to a combined meeting of the lodges in that city and Redcliff, for the purpose of installing the newly elected officers of all three lodges. The ceremony was presided over by D. G. M. Murray, assisted by Past District Deputy, Stewart.

The hall was taxed to its utmost to accommodate the large number of Masons present for the occasion. After the installation ceremony an elaborate banquet was held in the Cosmopolitan Hotel. The newly installed officers for Quarry lodge, Redcliff, were:

- P. M.—W. H. Hatcher
- W. M.—John Rutherford
- S. W.—A. McCollman
- J. W.—W. S. McCollman
- Treasurer—H. A. Ireland
- Secretary—D. H. Ream
- S. D.—R. D. Hodge
- D. J.—T. Johns
- Chaplain—F. Powrie
- S. S.—J. B. Bette
- J. S.—W. J. Reynolds
- M. of C.—H. B. Muir
- Tyler—D. Black

Will Soldiers Have A Vote at Election

One of the questions which will have to be considered at the next session of Parliament is the franchise of the Canadian soldiers who are in active service and have enlisted for service abroad. New Zealand recently held a general election and the members of the overseas contingent were followed to vote abroad.

It has been decided that there are difficulties in the way when the men reach the trenches the question of voting might be impossible. However, if nothing else is done, it is the intention of the government to allow the franchise of all soldiers so that they will not be struck off the lists while absent.

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REDCLIFF, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1915

LIEUT. DANIEL RETURNS FROM SALISBURY

Because of Surplus of Officers
Now There—Will Return
With Second Contingent—
Looks Late and Hearty.

Lieut. E. C. Daniel, ex-mayor of Redcliff, has just returned from Salisbury Plains where he had been in training with the first Canadian contingent, and spent a few days in town this week. Mr. Daniel, with 99 other Canadian officers, have returned to Canada as there was a surplus of officers throughout the first contingent. It is his intention to return with the second contingent and already Mr. Daniel joined the Winnipeg regiment. In conversation with him yesterday he told us that he was going to try to get on the mountain. He heard on his return that the war was the intention of the war department to send the Canadian mounted men to Egypt.

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Mr. Daniel has many interesting experiences to relate during his term of training both at Valcartier and in the country. He is looking late and hearty and has gained ten pounds since he joined the force. Mr. Daniel said things are going much as usual in the old country, and that up till the bombardment on the English coast the army was doing well to realize the seriousness of the situation. In parts of England, however, soldiers and camps are seen on all sides. He is present with 1,000,000 men in at present ready for action and mobilization for the second contingent is well under way. He says it is the intention of the Allies to have 8,000,000 men ready to go into the field on the first of June. It is estimated at the present time, Mr. Daniel says, that the Germans have about 4,500,000 men in the field and the Allies have about 4,000,000. To date it is estimated that the Germans have lost over a million and a quarter of their best men killed and wounded. They are now calling on their fourth reserve which will be made up of old men and landsturm.

Minister of Interior Security for Seed

Hon. Dr. Roche, who is now in the west, will hold a conference with representatives of the governments of Alberta and Saskatchewan regarding the Dominion government security for seed grain supplied to the holders of patented lands. In the event of a drought the Dominion government has ample security when seed grain is advanced to homesteaders because it still owns the land. In the event of lands on which patents have been issued the province having control of such lands must guarantee the seed grain the Dominion government to make it effective. This was done in 1908 when seed grain was given to the farmers. The department has, however, finds some features of that arrangement unsatisfactory and as the maintenance this time is on a much larger scale, the minister desires to put the government security beyond all doubt.

FIVE MILLION VOLUNTEER SERVICES

In Canada a million of men have been called to the colors. The Canadian government has volunteered their services to the war in connection with the war. They are said to be great numbers and the war has accepted their service. They are said to be great numbers and the war has accepted their service. They are said to be great numbers and the war has accepted their service.

LAYMEN TO MAKE RELIGIOUS CANVAS

Committee Appointed to Call
on Every Home and Learn
to What Church They
Belong—Part of Laymen's
Movement.

A meeting of representatives of the various churches in town was held Wednesday evening in the Presbyterian church under the auspices of this movement. Frankly the brethren told each other their plans and aspirations in reference to a religious canvas of the town. It was agreed that such a canvas should be begun next Monday and completed inside of the week. Two visitors are appointed by each denomination and these will call on several homes of the town, omitting those they know to belong to another denomination. As the town is new and the churches are of each scarcely known, there will be considerable overlapping visiting but one is always planned to have a talk from one's neighbor. The desire of the visitors is that no one should be overlooked, and that each person in town should be brought into some church. The visitors are instructed to inform each concerning the services of their own denomination, if such are in town.

New Club Formed Will Give A Dance

A new club, which will be known as the Red Rose club, has been formed in town by the ladies of the south. The ladies of the club is to have a good old time social evening during the winter months. The club will celebrate its opening by giving a free dance in the hall on Monday, Jan. 11th. Mr. Pickering has kindly given the hall free for the evening. Every lady is asked to come and bring a cake. The members extend an invitation to all to be present.

U. S. Complains to British Government

The United States government dispatches a long note to Great Britain insisting upon an early improvement in the treatment of American consuls by the British fleet. It gave warning that much feeling had been aroused in the country and that public opinion was general over unwarranted interference with legitimate foreign trade of the United States.

The document, constituting the strongest representation made up to date by the United States to any of the belligerents since the outbreak of the war, was called to Ambassador to the United States by Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary. Its preparations were begun a month ago by Solicitor General John, Counselor Robert Lansing and Secretary Bryan and finally during the last two weeks had the personal attention of President Wilson himself, who revised its phraseology with minute care.

Christmas Was Well Observed in Redcliff

Although times have been comparatively dull for many reasons for the past few weeks, Christmas was well observed in Redcliff. The Christmas spirit was everywhere and the Christmas spirit was everywhere and the Christmas spirit was everywhere.

Temperance Rally to be Held in Edmonton

The ninth annual convention of the Temperance Association of the Province of Alberta will be held in the city of Edmonton on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 21st and 22nd. In the first place, the convention is being held in the city of Edmonton on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 21st and 22nd.

MEDICINE HAT IS THREATENED BY AUSTRIANS

Chief Police Gets Letter Say
ing Public Buildings Will
be Blown up and Citizens
Massacred.

Medicine Hat seems to be hanging under the war cloud these days because of the receipt of several anonymous letters to Chief Bruce. These letters contain the information that it is the intention of a number of Austrians to blow up the city hall, the post office and the station and also massacre a number of the leading citizens. According to these letters the Austrians are 200 strong and are coming into the city by auto. This distinction was not as nothing out of the ordinary has as yet happened their plans must have miscarried.

To add color to these letters it is stated that a number of strange Austrians have been hanging around the city lately. They appear to have lots of money and are spending it freely in the bars with their knife.

Union Service Sunday Was Well Attended

Notwithstanding the breeze and drift there was a good attendance at the union service in the Empress Theatre last Sunday afternoon. The service was presided over by Rev. Mr. Wm. Artyndale in the first prayer and Rev. Mr. Gordon in the second. Rev. Mr. V. H. Hinkle, in an interesting and instructive way, spoke of the gifts of the Magi to the Holy Infant God signifying wealth, frankincense, wisdom and peace. The service was well attended and the members extend an invitation to all to be present.

Church of England Christmas Tree

The Church of England Sunday schools held their Christmas Tree last Tuesday evening in the Parish hall. The room was packed with happy children. The proceedings started with a sit down tea which was much appreciated, after the tables, kindly lent by Mr. Broadfoot, had been cleared away Santa Claus arrived and entered the room in his fine regalia and after wishing the children best Christmas wishes, started to hand out presents to each child from the tree. The presents were also given for the best attendance in each class. After the prize giving a lady kindly offered a treat for the best song and another for the best recitation. There were many competitors and the prizes were finally won by two of the youngest aspirants, who did very well. A very happy time was brought to a close by singing of the Christmas hymns. While the children were singing the Christmas hymns, the three verses of the national anthem. Much thanks is due to the ladies who arranged everything so admirably, to Santa Claus for his welcome visit and to all who lent tables towards the success of the evening.

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WILL HOLD UNITED WEEK OF PRAYER

Meetings to be Held Every
Night Starting Next Sunday—
Will be Held in the
Different Churches—Prayer
For The Empire.

In accordance with the practice of evangelical churches throughout the world and at the request of the World's Evangelical Alliance, the first week of the New Year will in this town be observed as a special period of prayer. The following arrangements of subjects, places and speakers have been made, and all Christians are invited to join in this series of interdenominational fellowship and united prayer:

Sunday, Jan. 2nd—Divine service in Reid's hall at 7:30 p. m., Rev. R. V. Hinkle to preside and Mr. G. Lawson Gordon to preach; subject, "The Greatest Glory of the Most Glorious."

Monday, Jan. 4th.—In the Presbyterian church; topic, "The Church and the War." Mr. Hinkle to give the address.

Tuesday, Jan. 5th.—In Reid's hall; topic, "Personal and National Responsibility." the address by Mr. Gordon.

Wednesday, Jan. 6th.—In the Presbyterian church; topic, "The Church and the War." Mr. Hinkle to give the address.

Thursday, Jan. 7th.—In Reid's hall; topic, "Personal and National Responsibility." the address by Mr. Gordon.

Friday, Jan. 8th.—In the Presbyterian church; topic, "The Social Application of the Gospel." Mr. Hinkle to speak.

Saturday, Jan. 9th.—In the Presbyterian church; topic, "The Cross of Christ." This meeting will be entirely in the hands of the laymen.

Sunday, Jan. 10th.—In the Empress Theatre at 7:30 p. m., Rev. Ralph V. Hinkle to preside.

Each week's evening service is to begin at 8 o'clock. The hymn book of the church which was met to be used; also the offering on Sunday is to go to the church with which we gather.

By an order of the Privy Council for Canada next Sunday is appointed a day of humble prayer and intercession for Almighty God to be observed on Sunday is to go to the church with which we gather.

Boys Will Play Hockey To-day

A hockey team from the school, composed of boys between the ages of 12 and 15, went to Melville Hat last Wednesday to play a friendly game with the boys of that town. Although our boys were beaten they put up a fine game, considering the little practice they have had. The score was 7 to 1 against them. A return game will be played next Saturday afternoon immediately after the arrival of the noon train. The following are the line-up: Goal—E. McGee; Forward—H. Black; Point—A. Symon; C. point, S. Fairbank; rover, J. Kitchin; centre, K. McGee; W. W. Duggan; R. W. C. Duvitt.

Bingville Farmer Found Dead in Shack

Louise Christina Jensen, of Bingville, northwest of Cardston, was found dead on Christmas day in his shack, sitting in a chair. He had been invited to Mr. Krustadt's neighbor, to eat Christmas dinner, and when he failed to come, Mr. Krustadt went to see what was the matter. He found him sitting in the chair dead. The cause of death is supposed to be heart failure. The deceased was a native of Denmark and has been in Alberta for the past four years. He has not been a relative living man and had travelled extensively in all parts of the world.

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NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS

We are told that when a mariner has been tossed for many days in thick weather and on an unknown sea, he naturally avails himself of the first pause in the storm, the earliest glimmer of the sun to take his latitude and ascertain how far the elements have driven him from his true course. Following this custom, it would be well if those of us who are travelling this great sea of life, would pause occasionally and examine our charts to see how far we have gone out of our proper course.

There is no better time to make examination than now at the close of the old year when we can look back over the past twelve months and review our acts, our accomplishments, our thoughts, our words and our ideals, and see whether or not we have steered our own little craft straight along the course we mapped out at the beginning of 1914. It would not be natural if we had not drifted at least a little, but this is not the country nor the age for discouragement and despondency. Life is a mariner, it is the time for us to get back on the course again, and with our aim directed to the harbor at the close of 1915, start out once more with all sales set. We may be bound and tossed about but if our compass is set right at the start we can at least come back to where we started from and start over again.

This is the time for new resolutions. Let us devote ourselves to these great objects that are fit for our consideration and our action; let us raise our conceptions to the magnitude and importance of the duties that devolve upon us; let our comprehension be as broad as the country for which we act, our aspirations as high as its certain destiny.

PEACE CENTENARY POSTPONED

The British committee connected with the celebration of the centenary of the peace between the United States and Great Britain, made public a manifesto expressing regret that since the city of Ghent where the treaty of peace was signed, was occupied by the Germans, it will be necessary to postpone the celebration until the European war has ended. The manifesto expresses the hope that the unbroken frontier between the United States and Canada may long continue as an example to the world of the safe defence of mutual respect and trust in the affairs of nations.

In an editorial commenting regretfully on the necessity of postponing the celebration of the peace centenary marking one hundred years of peace between the English speaking nations, the Times expresses the nation's gratitude to America for material proofs of sympathy and affection, and for the work done for victims of the war. The article details a long list of American war charities, and adds:

"In all history there has been no work like this. Never before have we received from another people proof so moving of interest and regard. We are not an effusive nation, but the American self-sacrifice and warm kindness have sunk deep into our hearts. If we cannot today unite with our American friends in a great peace celebration, we can at least bear testimony to the unparalleled munificence of their charity and the good will they are showing to all, but not least to ourselves and our allies."

BRITISH CITIZENSHIP

According to the new naturalization act passed by the Imperial parliament it will now be possible for any person who is a citizen of Canada and who has lived five out of eight years immediately preceding his application, to become a citizen of the United Kingdom and of the British Empire. This is a good move, and although it has taken a long time to persuade the British authorities that the full rights of British citizenship should be extended to anyone who is a citizen of any part of the Empire, it has come at last. Under the old law those naturalized in Canada did not enjoy the full privilege of British citizenship and as a result many of our leading citizens were barred from that privilege. Among those who were such men as Hon. George Perley, a member of the Borden government, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, and Sir William Van Horne. All three of these men were mentioned as successors to the late Lord Strathcona but could not qualify as they were not British citizens, having been born in the United States.

The Canadian people will appreciate the new law which allows any man to whom their government gives the right of citizenship becoming a British citizen in the fullest sense of the word.

REVIEW STARTS NEW YEAR

With this issue the Review, like the calendar, starts on another year of its existence. On the 6th of January, 1912, the Redcliff Review made its bow to the public under the present management. It is now, therefore, with this issue, entering upon its fourth year under the management of the present proprietor. To be sure Redcliff had a paper prior to 1912, in fact for a time we had two papers; but as neither of these was printed in town, this paper can quite properly claim to be the pioneer and only real Redcliff Review.

Since our first issue, which was printed in cramped quarters and with the most antiquated machinery, we have gradually grown and expanded until today we can boast of one of the brightest, most commodious and best equipped offices of any weekly paper in western Canada. For this satisfactory condition we do not take all the credit to ourselves. It is due, in a measure, to the rapid and substantial growth of the town and to the liberal and loyal assistance we have always received from its people. For this loyalty we wish on this occasion to thank our friends and patrons and we trust, by careful attention to business and fair dealings, to merit a continuance of the same.

GIVE US THE NEWS

One day last week one of our readers called us up and wanted to know why we had not made mention of the fact that he had visitors that week. While we must admit it is the common belief that editors and proprietors of newspapers are supposed to know everything and are supposed to be omniscient, in a super-human system of finding out things no one else could find out, yet we frequently have to disabuse the public mind of this false impression by admitting our shortcomings and assuring them we are but human. In our long and checkered career in newspaper work we have not yet made much progress in mental telepathy, hence we have not yet reached the stage of perfection in our work when we can sit down at our desk and depend on the electric waves and hovering angels to tell us who is visiting in town or who has left town for a visit. This knowledge we must have to get in the same old-fashioned way notwithstanding the progress and development

in other branches of our work. Consequently if you have any visitors whose names you would like to appear in our paper, just let us know about them and we will be only too pleased to do the rest.

THE BREEDER'S CHANCE

It's a big bill that blows nobody any good. One year of the present war is the tremendous demand in Europe for horses bred on this continent. Representatives of the British and French governments are scouring America for horseflesh and the advance guard of the French buyers has already reached a point as far west as Spokane.

Canadian remount commissioners are buying in both east and west and the country will be largely denuded of horses. Horseflesh will be dear for a decade if this war lasts as long as we think it will. There is therefore a splendid chance for the Alberta horsebreeders to make hay while the sun shines.

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LOCOMOTIVE INDUSTRY
IN UNITED STATES

Series Depression in This Trade—
The Wilson Tariff Blamed For Decline

The Baldwin Locomotive Works in Philadelphia is probably one of the best known industries in the world. Every one will be interested to know, therefore, that the present depression, coupled with the reduction of the Wilson Tariff in the United States, has caused a slowing down in these vast works.

Mr. Samuel D. Vancian, Vice-President of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, in an address delivered before the Annual Convention of the Master Boiler Makers' Association said:

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Mr. Vancian said, the Baldwin works, had 18,600 men on its payroll. At present 14,000 of these are looking for jobs.

Working Staff Reduced
A two-fold reduction in the working staff of a huge plant such as this is well calculated to make all thoughtful men reflect on the wisdom of the tariff in a trade which is under fire for nearly fifty years as an unparalleled record for extension is indicated as an all other forms of activity has been manifest. Already there are many in the United States who predict a reaction from the tariff policy of the Wilson regime. It is perhaps unfortunate from the President's standpoint that the reduction in the tariff applied to the locomotive industry, which is almost world-wide in its scope, but the fact remains that imports of manufactured goods from the United States have greatly increased, notwithstanding the trade depression, while manufacturing has declined in corresponding degree.

PAIRES PRESIDENT
FOR LOWERING TARIFF

Canadian Manufacturer Believes Excessive Tariff on Woolens, as in United States, Unnecessary

Among the few woolen industries in Canada that have been established under the competition from Great Britain under the British preference is the Palton Manufacturing Company of St. Catharines, Ont., which manufactures and general manager, Mr. John Turnbull, is one of the best posted men on the woolen industry in this continent.

In a recent interview in the "Journal of Commerce," Montreal, Mr. Turnbull was quoted as follows:
"American Official Executive
"I am a high protectionist. I think that in the present stage of Canada's industrial and commercial development, however, that a moderate tariff is not only desirable but essential for this country's prosperity. The woolen manufacturers of Canada are not extremists. They do not dream of pushing up the tariff on woolen goods to the height it reached in the United States as set forth in Schedule C of the McNeill Tariff Act."

"I have always thought the American high protective tariff indefensible on an economic, but to say a moral standpoint. The protective duties reaching the almost incredible figures of 150, and even 200 per cent. are a heavy, almost intolerable, burden on the consumer; and a confusion of incapacity on the part of the American producer that was planned to favor American industry."

President Wilson is to be congratulated that he is so concerned with the duties on woolen goods. Tariff Act the duties on woolen goods were reduced to 35 per cent. ad valorem—quite sufficient, in my judgment, to permit the American manufacturer to compete with foreign producers not only in the United States but in the continental market of the world.

Favors 35 Per Cent. For Canada
As far as Canada is concerned, we have never attempted to make the tariff a cloak for incompetency. We have tried our level with the demand and made no secret of the fact that we have not been able to make the tariff a cloak for incompetency. We have tried our level with the demand and made no secret of the fact that we have not been able to make the tariff a cloak for incompetency."

have secured Europe for the most expert and artistic designers. We are not making any demand for a price increase in the tariff, although, personally, I think that 35 per cent. would be a great relief to the industry at the present critical juncture, when high wages and high cost of materials have greatly increased the expenses of the trade."

Does Not Mean High Prices
"Do you think, Mr. Turnbull, that the present duty of 35 per cent. ad valorem means that there are as a result higher to the consumer?"

"Emphatically, I do not. The competition between Canadian manufacturers; materially said to keep prices at a reasonable level. If our industry were closed out, we would have to wait long to see prices advance all along the line. We cannot do with less than 35 per cent. reduce that amount of protection and you wipe out the industry. That would mean higher prices in the end for the Canadian consumer. Hence, I maintain that a fair and reasonable amount of protection need not necessarily raise prices."

AID TO WOOL GROWERS

How the Dominion Department of Agriculture is Helping Wool Industry

Hitherto, Canadian wool has graded very low in comparison with wools from other countries through careless methods of shearing, shipping and sorting. The poor quality of Canadian wool has resulted in low prices to Canadian wool growers. A Canadian woolen manufacturer has been forced to purchase some portion of his wool supplies abroad because he was unable to get the proper quality in Canada.

"According to the Canadian Textile Journal" largest graders and spinners supplied by the British—its mutual organizations of shepherders of ten or more members. Graders—well classified wool only used by the spinners. It is that reaches dealers in the condition they graded it, but it is no way will they act as selling agents for the growers. This should provide a means of stimulating breeders to take greater interest in the preparation of a clean product, for it is definitely understood that wool graded under the auspices of the brand will be severely, and, typically, treated."

In the announcement of this policy it is stated that fleeces fitted with binder twice, containing plant locks or bits with chaff and sticks, are discarded to the rejection class as such. Western ranges wool will be separated into quality into three grades, low, medium and high, and into combing and clothing lengths. First grades will be sent to the factory and wool of a medium character raised on the small farms in the West. Washed and ungraded will be "carefully selected" for conditions as the wool is formed for this purpose and much interest is already being awakened among farmers throughout the entire Dominion. A uniformly graded wool will act equally as a boon to growers, dealers and manufacturers as to the quality of the wool. A rather greater appreciation of the real character of Canadian wools.

Canadian manufacturers should co-operate and encourage their efforts because any good accomplished will work to their benefit. They are able to give valuable assistance to the men who are carrying on the work in the way of information as to the best grades of wool for the industry here and by pointing out the defects and suggesting remedies."

At present the Canadian wool industry is in a depressed condition, being chiefly to the general trade depression, and also to the huge import of British wools which are enabled to come into Canada free under the low duties of the British preference. When business is depressed and the woolen manufacturer finds Canada one of the easiest markets in which to dump his surplus product, and the result is that while there is less trade there is to be shared by the Canadian and British woolen manufacturers the Canadian manufacturer is at a disadvantage. The woolen manufacturer is through the low prices which the British manufacturer is able to quote by reason of his low labor and factory costs.

In addition to the wide measures which the Government is taking for the protection of the sheep industry, it seems reasonable that some change will have to be made whereby the Canadian woolen manufacturer will be assured of a greater percentage of the Canadian market for his product than he now has. If such a policy is adopted the Canadian manufacturer would purchase at still larger quantities of Canadian wools, and this helps him help the wool grower.

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Aliens Register

At Fort William

One thousand four hundred and seventy alien enemies, but great majority of whom are Austrians, had been registered at the registration office at Fort William. Of this number 43 per cent. require government assistance, as they are practically destitute. A petition has been drawn up by the board of trade of Fort William and Port Arthur proposing that the labor of the alien enemies in this district be used for the exclusive benefit of this district, in the shape of clearing government land and road building.

CHRISTMAS DAY WARFARE

Christmas brought no rest to the embattled European armies. It found the Indians still fighting desperately in the snows of Poland against the fierce attacks of the German and Austrian allies; Przemysl still in the grip of the invading army; the French are making spasmodic thrusts against the long German lines of trenches in northern and northeastern France, and the British and Belgians engaged in almost hand to hand warfare against the German trenches in West Belgium.

"In Flanders things were generally quiet," says the German bulletin. The French report intermittent artillery firing there. The French claim several successes along the centre and eastern lines, while the Germans declare that they have taken the second British trenches in Belgium.

SIR KELLY-KENNY DIES

Gen. Sir Thomas Kelly-Kenny, formerly adjutant-general of British forces, is dead. His home was at Doolough Lodge, in county Clare, Ireland, where he had lived since his retirement in 1907. He was born in 1840.

GOOD HOLIDAY TRADE

THROUGHOUT CANADA Dispatches to Dun's Review from branch offices of R. G. Dun & Co., in leading trade centres of the Dominion of Canada, indicate continued quiet conditions in wholesale lines but that in considering all circumstances a fair holiday trade has been done and encouraging indications are appearing in many directions.

She—What do you think of the girl of the period?

He—She looks more like an interrogation point.

ENGLAND SEES A

FIGHT IN THE AIR

The spectacle of a fight in the air, witnessed on Christmas afternoon by thousands of spectators, was one which ten years ago would have been considered one of the wildest imaginings of fiction.

Three aeroplanes, one a German and two British, were flying overhead at 40 miles an hour, almost a mile high in the air. The German Taube was moving more swiftly than the others, which swung above it. The British were spitting fire, while the German was unable to reply on account of the strategic position of the engines.

GERMANY-MAKING

VERY MANY EXCUSES. Germany's latest excuse for disregarding the Geneva convention in not releasing captured Red Cross men is that she has so many prisoners that she may require them in case of a disease outbreak. It is understood, however, that neutrals, especially of the United States, have made representations to Germany on the subject, but that her answer has not been made known.

The treatment of prisoners, especially English, in Germany, is not improving, and a committee composed of delegates from the Spanish embassy in Berlin and of the American and German Red Cross, with members of the German Red Cross has been formed and will visit all the prisoners camped in Germany.

U. S. FIRM GETS BIG ORDER FOR SHEETMETAL

Orders for steel sheetmetal will amount before completion of the order to \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000, have been received by the Drexel Engineering & Manufacturing Company of Philadelphia. These orders have been placed with the above firm by the Russian and British governments.

WANT BETTER FIRE

ESCAPES IN HOTELS

The question of better fire protection in country hotels throughout the province of Alberta was discussed at a meeting of the license commissioners held in the attorney-general's department office, Travelers' building, Edmonton, last week.

On representations made by the Commercial Travelers' Association the commissioners passed a resolution recommending to the attorney-general that all hotels in the province be equipped with ropes leading from each sleeping room to within four feet of the ground.

UNITED STATES PROTESTS.

A dispatch to the London Daily Express from Amsterdam says: "The Germans at Brussels have withdrawn

their demand for a new war loan contribution for \$100,000,000, presumably owing to the protest of the American minister who asserted that the levy violated The Hague convention.

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Blundell's Library, Sec. a book.

C. H. Peabody, of Centralia, Wash., arrived in town this week to take a position in the shoe factory here.

A. J. Nicholson sent steamship tickets of all lines. See him before booking your passage to Europe.

P. Dege, who is well known here, was in town for a few days this week. He returned to his farm in the Eyebrow district on Wednesday.

Big bargains in everything and everything at Miss Levere millinery parlors from now till the close of the season. Come early and get your choice.

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Snap Head Cleaner.....	10c
Late per pk.....	10c
Sardines, Brunswick brand.....	35c
Bacon, per lb.....	25c
Ham, per lb.....	21c
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Vegetables, per lb.....	35c
Rice, Japan No. 1, 5 lbs.....	25c
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All the bells and whistles in town rang and blew the old year out and the new year in. They made quite a merry noise at midnight.

If there are any farmers in this district who have not as yet put in their application for seed grain they should do so at once as it is asked that all applications be in before Jan. 15 to insure early and prompt delivery.

New directories for the government telephone system are not yet distributed. The directory covers the southern division, including Calgary, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Redcliff and all other points south of and including Red Deer. The directory is nicely got up and includes a list of all subscribers in the southern division arranged in alphabetical order.

All boys from Redcliff who are now in training at Medicine Hat and Calgary were in town for Christmas. Among them were Messrs. W. G. Watson, Percy Smith, Harry Shores and R. Corbin, from Calgary, and Messrs. Jack Compton, Fred Pearson, Wm. Leslie, Sergt.-Maj. Halworth and Sergt.-Maj. Lonsdale, of Medicine Hat. The boys all look quite smart in their new uniforms and we are sure they will give a good account of themselves when the proper time comes. They spent the day very quietly with friends and returned to camp on Saturday.

The Redcliff hotel and King's restaurant, served exceptionally fine meals on Christmas day and both were well patronized by those who were not able to get home for the festive occasion. Both proprietors also invited a number in for dinner who would otherwise have had a scant Xmas meal.

The extra few inches of snow which fell this week was about the best Christmas present we could have got. Every inch of snow now means an extra bushel of wheat to the acre next fall.

School will re-open after the Xmas holidays on Monday, Jan. 4th. We would again remind parents that all children starting for the first time should be at school for the opening day or as soon after as possible. No new pupils will be taken in after the 15th.

Christmas day was well though not observed in town. The weather was ideal for outdoor amusements and as a result there were several sleighing parties and during the afternoon the rink was well patronized.

See A. J. Nicholson for insurance of all kinds in the best companies.

Misses Mary and Anna Healy, of Claresholm, have been the guests of Misses Marjorie and Edna Boucher for the last two weeks and have been having one continual round of pleasure. They are very nice girls and very nice-looking. They have made quite a host of friends and are loath to part with them.

The Misses Boucher leave on Monday noon to make their future home at Red Willow, Alberta, where Mr. C. Boucher, their father, is going in for extensive farming.

We understand that Mr. McIlroy of this town is at present working on a scheme to establish a grain mill in Redcliff. He is at present making arrangements for machinery and expects to have plans prepared in the near future. If he is successful in his present plans he hopes to be able to start building operations in the early spring.

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A long distance telephone booth has been installed in the rotunda of the Redcliff Hotel. This will surely be a great convenience for the public.

Miss Jean Allan will entertain the girls M. U. club let the home of Miss Allan was served. Miss Edith Blundell's Library, Sec. a book.

The Sans Paces club was entertained by the Crystal Hotel and had a very nice time last Wednesday evening. A most enjoyable time was spent in games, music, etc., after which a dance was given. The club will entertain the club next Wednesday. After all have gathered at the hotel there will be sleighing party, when the members of the club will drive to Medicine Hat to attend the theatre.

While working at his trade in the Ornamental Iron Works, J. Green met with a painful accident as a result on which he lost the thumb and index finger of his right hand. He was working with the hammer when his hand caught with the above result. Although suffering great pain Mr. Green is getting along as well as possible.

During the slack time of the past week one of the employees of the Ornamental Iron Works made for himself an iron hand sleigh. It is one of the strongest and best we have seen for some time and we feel sure if the foundry would make up a number of them they would have no trouble disposing of them.

The last meeting of the 1914 council was held last Saturday evening. No business of any importance was transacted. Only a few outstanding bills were passed and some by-laws given their final readings.

A Sunday school has been started in Phoenix in connection with the English church, at the home of Mrs. Harris. All children living in that section of town are cordially invited to attend. The school meets at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Lamont, of Vancouver, arrived in town last week in her husband who has been employed here for some time.

Wm. Harvey, who a few weeks ago was badly burned by a gas explosion at the steam pipe, is now sufficiently recovered to be out around again. It is Mr. Harvey's intention to join his old regiment, "The Black Watch," and he will leave for the old country as soon as his burns are better. Mr. Harvey already has two brothers in the Black Watch and one in the Cameron Highlanders. He also has a sister a nurse at Nancy. One brother is at present in the hospital at Lethbridge, suffering from wounds received at the front.

The picture shown in the Empress theatre on Christmas afternoon and evening and on Wednesday of this week attracted large crowds and all thoroughly enjoyed the fine reels put on. There will also be another show on Saturday evening and it is the intention of Mr. Oakland to put on a show a week provided the attendance warrants it. It certainly is like old times to see the Empress going again and we hope it will be kept going for the rest of the winter at least.

The masquerade ball held in Maple hall last evening was well attended and all thoroughly enjoyed the event. So large was the number in costume that the judges had some difficulty in awarding the prizes. Miss Blanche McKay won first prize for the best character costume, Miss Emily Brett for the best comic and E. Worts for the best gaudy costume. Miss Oakland, who represented the Redcliff Review, made a good run for the prize and was only beaten out by one point.

The date for the first masquerade to be held in Redcliff this winter has been set for Wednesday, January 6th. A good lot of prizes has been arranged for the different costumes and

there will also be a good program of racing events on which liberal prizes are offered. Already a number are getting their costumes ready and it looks as though this was going to be the event of the season. For full particulars see bills.

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Mr. Gough, proprietor of the skating rink, informs us that he can get the rink in shape for curling on very short notice. It might be a good idea if those who are interested in curling would make arrangements with Mr. Gough to have a charity bonspiel while the weather is good. Such a bonspiel could be pulled off in a day and a night and besides being all kinds of fun would swell the relief fund considerably.

CHURCH NOTICES.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Divine worship in the church at 10 o'clock Sabbath forenoon; topic of discourse, "The Call to Prayer for those in the Battle Line." In the evening the congregation meets in union with the others in Reid's hall at 7:30. Sabbath school in the church at 2:30.

During the first week of the New Year, by advice of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, in union with the other churches, representatives will visit the families of the congregation in order to deepen our mutual understanding and develop a more intense interest in the work of the church.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Sunday next: Holy communion at 11. Sunday school at 10. Wednesday, Jan. 6th, the epiphany; holy communion at 8; matins at 10; snow and address at 7:30. Choir practice after service. W. A. at the vicarage.

Friday, evening and subscriptions at 7:30. Sunday next has been appointed by the King and the governor-general of Canada as a day of supercession in remembrance of the Empire in connection with the awful war in which we are involved. Special services and addresses are being and it is hoped that all good Christian people will take notice of this and come and take their part in bringing our sins and our needs before the throne of the King of Kings and imploring his mercy and blessing.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services in Reid's hall. Morning worship at 11 o'clock; subject, "Why Be a Christian?" Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Do not forget the Bible class at that hour. Evening worship at 7:30. This is to be the union New Year's service and the Reverend Mr. Gordon, of the Presbyterian church will preach the sermon. There will be union prayer meetings throughout the week. Tuesday and Thursday evening they will be held in Reid's hall and the other evenings they will be held in the Presbyterian church. Everybody should make a special effort to attend these meetings.

FREE UNION BIBLE CLASS.

The class has entered upon the Old Testament subjects, proposed by the International Sabbath School Committee for 1915. Next Sabbath in the Presbyterian church at 3:30 in afternoon it will study "The Deliverance of Israel by Deborah and Barak," Judges 4-14.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

GIVES A CHRISTMAS TREE. Christmas Eve the Baptist Sunday school gave its Christmas tree entertainment. The children gave a very pleasing entertainment of recitations, dialogues, songs and drills. The Indian Hunters drill was especially good. After the program was over the children were greeted by Santa Claus who came with gifts of candy, nuts, books, etc., for all the boys and girls. Young and old alike enjoyed the event and left with Merry Christmas wishes for everyone.

MANY CANADIAN SOLDIERS

SICK AT SALISBURY.

The militia department at Ottawa reports the death of two more members of the Canadian overseas expeditionary force at Salisbury Plain. Colonel Gordon Wilson, of the Second Artillery Brigade, has succumbed to an attack of cerebral spinal meningitis.

Private Hubert French, of the first battalion, has died of abscess of the brain at Bulford Manor hospital.

The several deaths due to cerebral spinal meningitis, which have been reported, have been due to the long exposure of the troops on Salisbury Plain to wet, cold weather. A corresponding cables that there one thousand cases now in the hospitals on the plain, mostly of influenza, though there is a little pneumonia.

TWO CANADIANS ESCAPE FROM LONDON TOWER.

Two members of the Canadian veterinary corps, incarcerated in the Tower of London for disorderly conduct had contrived to escape when the guard was being changed. These are the first escapes from the Tower on record for a full century.

FARMERS ARE ADVISED

TO RAISE MEAT AND EGGS.

Agricultural leaders throughout the west are urging the farmers not to be unduly affected by the high price of wheat into going into wheat raising too extensively next year. The farmers are reminded that the country and the empire needs beef, pork and mutton, butter and eggs just as badly as it needs wheat and corn.

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